



## 2015 Dominio de ES Viñas Viejas de Soria

**Rating**

93

**Release Price**

\$100

**Drink Date**

2019 - 2028

**Producer:** Dominio de ES

**From:** Spain , Castilla León ,  
Ribera del Duero

**Reviewed by**

Luis Gutiérrez

**Issue Date**

31st Aug 2018

**Source**

238, The Wine Advocate

**Color:** Red

**Type:** Table

**Sweetness:** Dry

**Type:** Table

**Variety:** Tempranillo

I tasted the 2015 Viñas Viejas de Soria next to the 2016, and it's clear that 2015 was a warmer and riper vintage that delivered ripe tannins. It is slightly exuberant, expressive and open, faintly floral, with a perfume that reminds me of carbonic maceration. This has some 10% white grapes (Albillo), which fermented together with the red grapes (Tempranillo) with some 40% full clusters in small oak vats with indigenous yeasts and then matured in used Burgundy barriques for 20 months. The tannins are fine-grained, and there is no heat; in fact, it feels quite fresh and has a chalky texture that should allow the wine to age for a very long time in bottle. It has more tannins than the 2016, and it feels a touch more volatile. 3,159 bottles and 156 magnums were bottled in July 2017.